



GLOSSOP PONY CLUB

CAMP 2025



Let's **CAMP**

Want to know more about the Glossop Pony Club Camp 2025? Well, this booklet will give you lots of fun facts about what camp is and what to expect when you get there. We're not going to tell you everything that is happening in the booklet because we want to give you some lovely surprises when you get there.

If you do have some questions and you can't find the answers in here, then you can always ask Alison or Stella.

One thing is for sure, camp is full of fun, learning and adventure and we can't wait to see you there!

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We will all get there on Wednesday 30th July, at about 6 o'clock and we will leave on Sunday 3rd August at 2 o'clock.



Somerford Park Farm

Glossop Camp 2025 takes place at Somerford Park Farm which is in Cheshire, that's about 31 miles from Hargate! Somerford has so much room that there will be more than one camp happening at the same time.



The big 80-acre cross country area, that's about the size of 40 football fields, has over 100 cross country jumps including a water complex.



The smaller Grassroots cross-country field which is about the size of 16 football fields, has lots of smaller cross-country fences to practice over.



DID YOU KNOW ?

Somerford Park Farm is home to international eventer Andrew Heffernan who is the current Team Netherlands National Coach and has competed at the London 2012 Olympics and the 2014 at the World Equestrian Games!

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WHERE TO STAY?



HORSE BEDROOM

Whilst you are at camp your horse will live in a stable at Somerford. The stables will have shavings for bedding and lots of hay. You will have to muck out your horse each day and make sure that they are fed and watered. There are no fields to use at Somerford so your horse will be in, but they will have plenty of exercise each day!

YOUR BEDROOM

Whilst you are at camp you will most likely be staying in a tent or maybe even your trailer! The tents are close to the horses and the main facilities. Don't forget to bring a sleeping bag!

There are toilets and showers in the camp facilities that you can use.



A DAY AT CAMP

A typical day at camp will be hard work but fun! You will have to get up early to feed your horse and make sure that he is mucked out and groomed ready for the day's lessons. The schedule below shows what a typical day at camp with your horse might look like.

07:00 – 07:30 Breakfast time for the ponies

07:30 – 08:30 Eat your breakfast in the pavilion

08:30 – 09:30 Muck-out and groom your pony

09:30 Meet at the tack room with your instructor to get ready for the morning activities

MORNING ACTIVITIES

12:00 – 13:30 Eat lunch in the pavilion

14:00 Meet at the tack room with your instructor to get ready for the morning activities

AFTERNOON ACTIVITIES

16:00 – 17:00 Muck-out/groom ponies

17:00 – 17:30 Tack cleaning

17:30 – 18:00 Evening meal for your ponies

18:00 – 19:00 Eat your evening meal in the pavilion

EVENING ACTIVITIES



WHAT ARE THE ACTIVITIES?

The activities that you will be doing are the best part of the camp. We don't want to tell you too much before you go as there will be some nice surprises for you and your horse!



WHO ARE THE INSTRUCTORS?

During camp you will be split into groups for the lessons. We have 2 main instructors at camp this year and you can learn a bit about them here.



STELLA WOODALL

Stella is a face that all of you should recognise as Glossop's Chief Instructor. Stella has been an instructor for Glossop for many years now and also judges at many local shows. Did you know that Stella's Mum was one of the founding members of Glossop Pony Club back in 1972!

CLARA WALKER

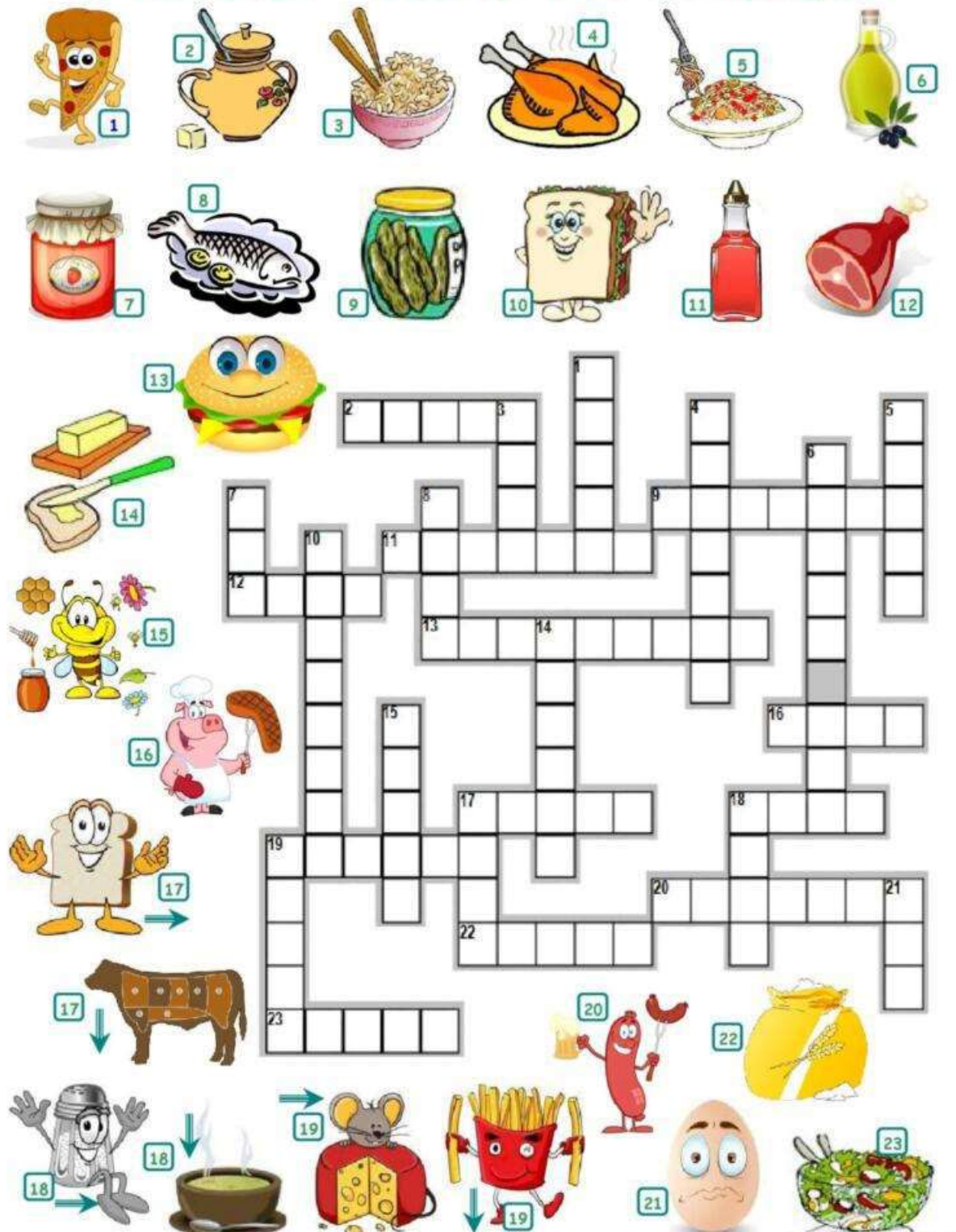
Clara has been teaching at Glossop for a number of years now. Clara was once a member of Glossop Pony Club and represented the club on many occasions. Clara stayed an active member of the pony club until she was 25.



FOOD

At camp you will be given 3 meals per day and a selection of snack in between to keep up your energy for all of the activities that you will be doing. You will have Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner with the other members in the Pavillion.

FOOD-CROSSWORD



READY TO RIDE

We all know that we must wear the right clothing when riding our horses but what should we wear at camp?

FOR FLATWORK

- ☐ Saddle
- ☐ Bridle
- ☐ Numnah/Saddlecloth
- ☐ Riding Hat
- ☐ Pony Club Jumper
- ☐ Long Sleeve shirt
- ☐ Pony Club Tie
- ☐ Light coloured Jodhpurs
- ☐ Riding Boots (long or short)
- ☐ Gloves (optional)



FOR JUMPING

- ☐ Saddle
- ☐ Bridle
- ☐ Numnah/Saddlecloth
- ☐ Neck Strap for Cross Country
- ☐ Riding Hat (no fixed peak)
- ☐ Long sleeve Base layer (or matchy matchy)
- ☐ Any coloured Jodhpurs
- ☐ Riding Boots (long or short)
- ☐ Gloves (optional)



RULES

To make sure that you and your pony are safe at camp there are some rule that we need to make sure that we stick to. The main rules are in the Pony Club Camp handbook but here are some that have been jumbled up, see if you can work them out.

When there you must not leave the _____ without an adult.

MACP

_____ or other jewellery must be removed for riding

ANGRIER

Don't make too much _____ in case you disturb the ponies.

EOSIN

Pick up all your _____.

TILTER

Ponies must have fresh water and hay and be _____ daily.

CUEDKM TOU

Everyone under 16 years old must wear a _____ in the stable block

INGRID TAH

Everyone under 10 years old must be with an _____ when in the stable block.

DALUT

Everyone must wear suitable _____ when around horses or when in the stable block.

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SEE YOU THERE!

So now you know a
little bit more about the
Glossop Camp 2025.
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you there!!

